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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted prior to the Rule 53(b) Continuation Application filed on even date.

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please insert before the first line of the specification the following:

-- This is a divisional of new application entitled "Semiconductor Module" filed on November 29, 2001 by the same inventors, Yamaguchi et al. (Attorney Docket No.

501.40792X00).--

## REMARKS

Entry of the above amendments is respectfully requested.

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